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# ARE YOU GETTING YOUR MONEY'S WORTH IN HOUSING?

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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE Desirable location
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Economical to maintain
Good condition

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Comfort
Convenience
Safety
Security
Privacy
Beauty

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Which of these things (comfort, important to you?

How would you rate your present housing? Check () your answer.

	Good	Fair	Poor
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Does your present housing meet your needs for:

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Which of these things (comfort, convenience, etc.) is most important to you?

What are your current housing needs? How will they differ in 5 years? In 10 years? Or when you retire?

Do you anticipate moving in the next 2 years? Five years?

How can you improve your present housing to meet your needs now?

How can you improve your present housing to make it better meet your future needs?

What home care and maintenance problems do you feel competent enough to do yourself?

# TAKE THE QUIZ

### YOU AND YOUR HOME

Approximately 30 percent of a family budget is required for housing, furnishings, maintenance, and utilities.

You may want to stop and think about your present situation. Does your home adequately meet your needs now? Are you getting your money's worth?

### Want to:

- Learn how to meet your housing needs?
- Improve your skills as a do-it-yourselfer?
- Use energy and utilities more efficiently?

Contact the home economist at your County Extension Service.

